RE: RM-11831

Dear FCC Representative,

I am writing to respectfully request that the Commission continue to allow, at a minimum, members of ARES districts to use Pactor and Winlink for emergency communications on the HF bands, which I feel is the most accurate, efficient, and reliable way to communicate with emergency managers outside of the immediate area affected by a disaster.

Also, from a personal perspective and as a Pactor modem owner, I would like to continue to have the capability to send Winlink email to family and friends during an emergency as well as provide that service to others in my community.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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